## OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS OF THE W. J. Dugan, sharpening CITY COUNCIL.

Council Chamber, Cairo, Illinois, December 8, 1908.

(Second Regular Meeting.) Present: Aldermen Burke, Cannon Davis, Ferguson, Gorman, Magner Mechan, Nellis, Scullin and Thistlewood.

Absent: Hon. George Parsons, may or, and Aldermen Bourgois, Greaney. Kelly and Koehler.

In the absence of the mayor the meeting was called to order by the Alderman Scullin moved that Al-

derman Meehan be chosen as mayor pro tem. The motion was adopted unanimously.

Alderman Meehan thereupon took the chair.

Alderman Thistlewood moved the minutes of last meeting be approved without reading. The motion was Thistlewood & Co., feed, fire adopted unanimously.

## Reports of Committees.

The street committee reported recommending that the bid of Hanes & Son to construct sidewalks under the terms and specifications of Ordinance No. 175 for 15c per square foo!; Ordinance No. 171 for 15c per square foot; Ordinance No. 161 for 13c per square foot, and Ordinances 173 and 172 for 13c per square foot each, be accepted and contract awarded them under the terms and conditions of their bid and of the respective ordi-

Alderman Davis moved the report he received and contract awarded as recommended. The motion was adopted by the following vote: Aye-Burke, Cannon, Davis, Gorman, Magner, Meehan, Nellis, Scullin and Thistlewood-9. Nay-Ferguson-1. Alderman Greaney appeared and

The committee on claims and ac counts together with their respective D. F. McCarthy, coal, fire decommittees to whom they had been referred, reported recommending payment of the following

Miscellaneous Claims and Accounts: Timothy Mahoney, 1 month foreman street gang, Nov.

John Higgins, 241/2 days on streets, Nov. 1908...... 36.75 Michael Driscoli, 21 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ..... 31.50 James Long, 91/2 days on streeps, Nov. 1908 ..... 14.2 John Holland, 23 days on gtreets, Nov. 1908...... 34.50 Dave Fowier, 21 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ..... 31.50 Henry Collier, 1814 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ..... 27.75 John Massey, 2214 days on Stephen Dean, 231/2 days on atreets, Nov. 1908 ......... 35.25 Wm. Taylor, 20 days on streets George Roberts, 18 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ..... 27.00 Albert, Thomas, 14% days on streets, Nov. 1908 ...... Louis Christmas, 13 days on structs, Nov. 1908 ...... 19.50 Patrick Carey, 9 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ..... 13.50 Austin Lee, 24 days on streets, Nov. 1908 .....

Earl Quellmaltz, 24 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ..... 36.00 James Johnson, 24 days on streets, Nov. 1908 ...... 36.00 Patrick Kennedy, 22 days on sidewalks, Nov. 1908 ...... 33.00 Ren Britton, 22 days on sidewalks, Nov. 1908 ..... 32.00 Julius Serbian, 1914 days with team at \$1, Nov. 1908..... 78.06 D. F. McCarthy, 1656 days with team at \$3.50, Nov. 1908 49.50 Charles Schultz, 13 days principal assistant engineer, Nov. 1908 ..... 43.33 H. M. Klenshy, 7 days as prin-

cipal assitant engineer, Nov. A. P. Henckel, 7 days instrument man and 23 days assistant engineer, Nov. 1908 71.50 Van R. Fitzgerald, 24 days draftsman, Nov. 1908..... A. Glauber, month inspector, Nov. 1908 ..... Martin O'Donoleue, I month inspector, Nov. 1908 ...... 50.00 X. Martin, 1 month inspector,

Nov. 1908 ..... 50.00 John Darry, 1 month inspector, Nov. 1908 ..... 50.09 Pat. Mahoney, I month inspector, Nov. 1908 ..... 50,00 Patk, P. McNamara, 20 days inspector, Nov. 1908 ...... 33.33 M. C. Metzger, supplies, city J. A. Van Cleave, I days inspector, Nov. 1905 ...... W. A. Williams, 15 days inspector, Nov. 1968 ...... 25.60 Daniel McCarthy, 12 days inspector, Nov. 1908 ..... 20.00 C. R. Penn, hauling account Park, Nov. 1908 ..... John Ogg, watchman and in-

cidentals account Park, Nov. 1508 ...... 32.00 John Sheehan, 20 per cent. \$25.00 collected in street tax and 12 dogs killed \$1 each, Frank M. Moore, 15 per cent \$128.00 collected in fines, Nov. 1908 ..... 29.70 Ernest Nordman, express paid, Nov. 1908 ......

Laneden & Leek, legal services rendered, Nov. 1908., 290.00 D. F. McCarthy, hauling road grader, Nov. 1908 ...... D. F. McCarthy, coal for pile driver, Tenth St. and levee, Nov. 1968 ..... Maloney & Bucher, repairing road roller, shoes, etc. street department, Nov. 1908. ..... 32.50 John T. Rennie, pipe and ma-

Chicago Steel Tape Co., one

steel tape, Nov. 1908 ..... 2.75

picks, etc., Nov. 1908 ..... Chistlewood & Co., feed (2) bills) street department, Nov. 1908 ..... 43.92

3. McManus, Jr., one pair hip boots, street department, Nov. 1908 ...... 6.50 Woodward Hardware Co. crayon, files and locks, street department ..... 3.30 P. T. Langan, lumber, etc., (5 invoices), sidewalks, Nov.

Kelley Bros. Lumber Co., 600 Schuh Drug Co., paint and oil account pumps, Nov. 1908 . 12.15 Cairo Electric & Traction Co., are lights, Nov. 1998 ..... 630,00 Cairo City Gas Co., 166 gas posts, Nov. 1908 ..... 345.28

M. Lutz, feeding prisoners 97 meals before and 372 days after trial, Nov. 1908.. 161.73 department, Nov. 1968 .... 23.76 Chas. Osterloh, feed, fire department, Nov. 1908 ...... 23.60 H. E. Ince, repairs to nozzle, fire department, Nov. 1908. . 1.25 Cairo Electric and Traction Co., gas and electric lights

(4 bills), fire department. Nov. 1908 ...... 20.69 Kaufman Bros, sheets and pillow slips, fire department, Nov. 1908 ..... Herman C. Schuh, soaps and saive, fire department, Nov. 1908 ... Stewart Bros., toflet paper, fire department, Nov. 1908 Mrs. Frank Keane, laundry,

duloney & Bucher, shoes, wrenches, etc. fire department, Nov. 1908 ....... Harrisburg Coal Co., coal (2 bills) fire department, Nov. 1908 ..... 13.75

department, Nov. 1908 .....

partment, Nov. 1908 ...... Voodward Hardware Co., 50 feet one inch hose, fire department, Nov. 1908 ..... 12.50 ohn B. Shen, bit, salt, etc., fire department, Nov. 1908 ... Chomas W. Gannon, 3 valve hoxes, street department, Nov. 1908 ...... 12.77

airo Water Co., hydrant rental, Nov. 1908 ...... 790.00 has. Cowan, second hand stove, pest house, Nov. 1908 Cairo City Coal Co., one ton coal, pest house, Nov. 1908. . hos. Meehan, removal of garbage, Nov. 1908...... 150.00 Dr. W. H. Fields, treating

small pox patients, Nov. 1908 streets, Nov. 1908 ........ 33.75 E. A. Burke, use of horse and buggy account Board of health, Nov. 1908 ...... 16,00 Smith Bros., mise, account B. Rhodes-Burford Furniture Co.,

mattress and comforts, B. of H., Nov. 1908 ..... George Robinson, hauling patient to pest house, Nov. 1908 Dr. James M. McManus, prof.

service to city patients (3 Red Cross Drug Store, soap, account B. of H., Nov. 1908 St. Mary's Infirmacy, care and medicine account B, of H.,

Margaret E. Hatcher, one month and two days assisting in city clerk's office, Cairo ice and Coal Co., ice (2 bills) Sept. and Oct. 1908 13.21 Saddy Emeail, I doz. matches, city office, Nov. 1908 ..... Calre fee and Coal Co., ice (2 bills) city office, Nov.

Sub. city office, Nov. 1908... Municipal Journal and Engineer, Sub. city office, Nov.

Halliday-Rittenhouse Co., doz. globes, city office, Nov. 1008 Postal Telegraph Co., mesrages, Nov. 1908 ..... B. H. Bradley, 14 dox. brooms,

city office, Nov. 1998 Cairo El. and Tract Co., gas and electric lights (2 bills) city office, Nov. 1968 . Central Union Tel. Co., tolis (2 bills) ..... Prof. A. B. Comings, 1 box curbon paper, city office,

Nov. 1908 ..... office. Nov. 1908 ...... 5.00 Mrs. Kleb, rent magistrate and engineer's office, Nov.

1908 Margaret E. Hatcher, stamps, city office, Nov. 1968 Cairo City Coal Co., coal, city office, Nov. 1908 ..... John F. Rector, supplies, city office, Nov. 1988 ..... The Bulletin Co., pub. ord. and proceedings, Nov. 1968. 29 49 addition. Distilled Water Ice Mfg. Co.,

ice, fire department, Nov. Nov. 1908 ...... 17.10 Frank E. Davis, county collector, sewer asst. lots 12 and 13, blk. 72, city. Nov. Jesse E. Miller, county clerk, supplemental asst. ord. 163 court costs and commis-

sioners, Nev. 1908 ..... 345.27 M. S. Egan, feed for horse, in support of Childrens Home, Nov. 1908 Joseph B. Reed, 12 pound tarved sisal. Tenth and Ohlo New, 1908 ........

rhine work. Tenth and Ohio,

Nov. 1908 .....

A. S. Fraser, laying 40 ft, tile sewer at 25e ft. Tenth and S. Fraser, building bulkhead old sewer 3rd B, head from river, Tenth and Ohio,

Nov. 1908 ..... S. Fraser, building bulkhead old sewer 2nd B. head from river, Tenth and Ohio, Nov. 1908 ...... 25.00 S. Fraser, building bulk-

head, old sewer, 1st B. head from river, and 1½ yards concrete, Tenth and Ohio. 

from river, Tenth and Ohio, Nov. 1908 ..... 18.75 A. S. Fraser, repairing sidewalk at Tenth and Ohto. Nov. 1908 ...... 182,00 tion. A. S. Fraser, 18 ft. manhole

at \$4.00 ft. Twenty-fourth street, Nov. 1908 ...... 72.00 S. Fraser, driving pile, belting, etc., sewer outlet Nov. 1908 ...... 35.00 . S. Fraser, building manhole Tenth and Ohio, Nov. 1908 74.00 L. L. Powell, salary libn. Nov. E. A. Lansden, salary, asst. libn. Nov. 1908 ......

Marie C. Glauber, salary asst. libn. Nov. 1908 ...... 25.00 Pau! Simmons, fanitor, library Nov 1908 Cairo Electric & Traction Co., gas, electric light and power, library, (3 bills) Nov.

1908 ..... 17.10 P. T. Langan, material, account library, Nov. 1908 .... 19.89 Woodward Hardware Co., locks, keys, hinges, etc., library, Nov. 1908 ..... 12.45

Frank Hillig, binding, account library, Nov. 1998 ...... Tribune Co., subscriptions, IIbrary, Nov. 1908 ..... Chicago Record-Herald, subscriptions, library, Nov. 1908 5,50 Ed. Hicks, carpenter work, library, Nov. 1968 ..... 36.51

Harper & Bros., subscriptions library, Nov. 1908 ...... A. C. McClerg & Co., books, Ifbrary, Nov. 1908 ..... 30.80 James Coleman, subscriptions library, Nov. 1908 ...... 124.90 non the resolution was adopted. Alderman Magner moved the bills

be allowed as read. The motion was troduced signed by Aldermen Magner adopted by the following vote: Aye-Eurke, Cannon, Davis, Ferguson Gorman, Greaney, Magner, Meehan. Nellis. Scullin and Thistlewood-11. Nay-None.

Alderman Koehler appgared and The finance committee reported having received from Thos. E. Masoney, city treasurer, October account, \$4699.69 in cancelled and ald general fund warrants; \$3648.00

n cancelled and paid special levee fund warrants: \$250,00 in cancelled of H. Nov. 1908 ..... 2.30 ran(s; \$200.00 in cancelled and paid the same, the matter of broken places cancelled and paid coupons from parts of the city with a view to have 3.66 bonds 4, 5 and 6, improvement of the same restored. The motion was Twenty-seventh street; \$400.00 in adopted. cancelled and paid bond No. 11 and \$60.00 in coupons from bond No. 11, ing resolution and moved its adop filling of Center street, ordinance No. tion: 177; \$177.74 in cancelled and paid special library fund warrants and \$169.02 in cancelled and paid im-

provement warrants under ordinance .25 No. 111, all of which the committee had destroyed by burning. The finance committee reported Nov. 1908 ...... 43.55 further having received from Thos. E. Mahoney, city treasurer, November account. \$4001.75 in cancelled and paid general fund warrants;

Nov. 1908 ...... 27.33 \$346.26 in cancelled and paid special library fund warrants; \$729.75 in cancelled and paid special road tax fund warrants; \$30.30 in cancelled and paid special levee fund warrants and \$29.34 in cancelled and paid main sewer warrants, all of which the com-4.31 mittee had destroyed by burning. On motion of Alderman Nellis the reports were received and ordered

The building committee reported 2.63 recommending that permits be granted for the following building peti-

1.80 Fannie Masters, to erect a twostory frame house to cost \$2000.00 on Fraser gave bond for completion of lot 41. block 23, city.

Mary S. Johnston, to erect a twostory residence to cost abut \$2000.00 on lot 17, block 2, fourth addition. A. L. Sanderson, to erect one shed 20x24 ft. on rear of lots 19 and 20, and

one shed 20x24 on rear of lots 17 7.10 and 18, all in block 37, first addition. iis. Scullin and Thistiewood-12. Nay S. I. Brown, to erect a shed 14 ft. somere, to feet high on rear of lot 2.25 10, block 32 city-211 Fifteenth city engineer be instructed to put street.

2.60 James J. Mackey, to erect a two-31 and 32, block 69, first addition. than \$1500.00 each on lots 26 and 27.

block 75. A. Halley, to erect a one-story frame house to cost \$1500.00 to re-20.50 place the one recently destroyed by troduced: bre on lots 6 and 7, block 26, first

At the request of Aldermen Nellia and Greaney the report of the com-2.60 mittee on the petition of A. Halley was laid over under the rules.

Alderman Nellis moved the is mainder of the report be received 8.10 and permits granted as recommended. The motion was adopted unanti- be and is hereby instructed to see mously.

recommending that the wholesale fiquor dealer bonds of A. Sidney Terrell and Philip I. Nassauer he approved. Alderman Nellis moved the report

recommended. The motion was of Alderman Ferguson the resolution adopted by the following vote: Aye- was referred to the street committee 1.50 Burke, Cannon, Davis, Ferguson, Gorman, Greaney, Koehler, Magner, fellowing resolution: Mechan, Nellis, Scullin and Thistle: Ecsolved: That the street commitwood-12. Nay-None.

Alderman Nellis moved that the chairman of the pump and water sup-Ohio, Nov. 1908 ....... 10.00 ply committee be authorized and instructed to start the Tenth street pump for a test run and that the mayor and city clerk be empowered and instructed to pay the wages of the men employed for that purpose upon the vouchers of the chairman. The motion was adopted by the fel | lowing vote. Aye-Burke, Cannon Davis, Ferguson, Gorman, Greaney Koehler, Magner, Meelfan, Nellis,

Scullin and Thistlewood-12, Nay-Petitions.

Building petitions were read as follows: \*John M. Koehler, to erect a twostory tenement house to cost about \$1200 on lot 18, block 45, first addi-

Peter Taylor, to erect one store building 24x50, two stories high; three four-room cottages 16x42 feel; one cottage 23x36 feet, and one store room 16x36 feet, all to be frame buildings situated on south half of unplatted ground joining Farrell's addition.

A. O. Phelps, to erect a barn 20x 45 by 20 feet high on lots 3 and 4. block 5, Second Feuchter & Lansden addition.

On motion of Alderman Davis the petitions were referred to the building committee.

Resolutions and Motions.

Alderman Magner moved that the city comptroller be instructed to or der an are light at Twenty-seventh and Holbrook avenue.

Alderman Nellis moved to amend by adding "And one at corner of Eighteenth and Washington."

Alderman Ferguson moved to further amend by adding "And one at corner of Fifteenth and Washington." The motion and amendments were ruled out of order by the chair,

The following resolution was introduced signed by Aldermen Great ew and Magner:

Resolved: That the city attorney be and he is hereby instructed to pre-7.00 pare an ordinance for a cement side walk on north side of Thirty sixth street from Elm to Washington avenue. On motion of Alderman Can-The following resolution was in-

> and Greaney: Resolved: That the street committee be and is hereby instructed to have sewer leading south on the west side of Sycamore street at Fortieth street, changed so as to let same drain off on the east side of Sycamore

On motion of Alderman Magner the resolution was referred to the street

committee and city engineer. Abderman Scullin moved that the and puld special insurance fund war. up with the contractors constructing bonds Nos. 4, 5 and 6, and \$18.00 in in cement sidewalks in different

Alderman Burke offered the follow

the street committee be and is hereby instructed to put Sycamore street from Twenty-eighth to Subway in tion of the resolution. passable condition at once. The reso lution was adopted unanimously.

The following resolution signed by

Resolved: That the city attorne be and he is hereby instructed to non, Davis, Gorman, Greaney, Mee prepare an ordinance for a cement sidewlak on the west side of Syca more from Thirty-fourth to Thirty

sixth, six feet in width. On motion of Alderman Magner ing resolution; the resolution was adopted. Alderman Burke Introduced the

following resolution: Resolved: That A. S. Fraser by on Teath street work, owing to the at once. recommendation of engineer and street committee that brick pave ment cannot be laid until springother work being finished.

brick street. Alderman Cannon moved the reso-

ution be adopted. The motion was adopted by the ollowing vote: Aye-Burke, Cannon, Davis, Ferguson, Gorman, Grea ney, Kochler, Magner, Mechan, Ne

-None. Alderman Burke moved that the intersection at Tenth and Ohio streets in passable condition for temstory, nine-room dwelling on lots 20, porary use. The motion was adopted by the following vote: Aye-Burke, M. S. Carter and A. E. Curtis, to Capnon, Davis, Ferguson, Gorman erect two cottages to cost not less Greaney, Koehler, Magner, Mechan Nelfis, Scuttin and Thistlewood-12

. . Nay-None The following resolution signed by Ablermen Nellis and Gorman was in

> Resnived. That there he an aright placed at corner of Eighteenth and Washington. On motion of Alforman Nellis the resolution was referred to the street committee. Ablerman Cannon introduced the

ollowing resolution and moved that ing resolution: Resolved: That the chief of polic that ordinance No. 520 In reference The finance committee reported to licenses for eating houses be enforced. The resolution was adopted

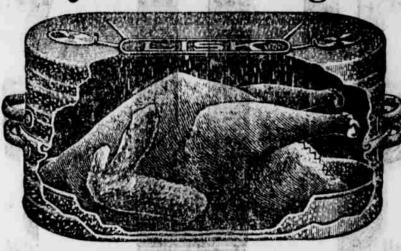
ollowing resolution: Resolved: That there he an ight placed at the corner of Fifbe received and bonds approved as teenth and Washington. On motion Alderman Cannon introduced the

tee be and is hereby instructed

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place temporary sidewalks on north Resolved: That it is the sense of Trans. "Chance." side of Twenty fourth street between the City Council that the Board of

Walnut and Washington. Alderman Cannon moved the adop

Alderman Magner moved to amere by referring to the street committee The amendment of Alderman Mag Aldermen Greaney and Magner was ner was lost by the following vote Aye-Ferguson, Koehler, Magne and Thistlewood -4. Nay-Burke- Can

> han. Nellis and Scullin-8. The resolution of Alderman Cannon was then adopted. Alderman Nellis offered the fellow

Resolved: That the street car company be and is hereby notified at length and, on motion of Alderman to remove dirt that they placed on Koehler, referred to the ordinance the gravel street on Twentieth street aid his 20 per cent of back money between Poplar and Washington ave-

On motion of Alderman Nellis the resolution was adopted The following resolution signed by

Atdermen Neills and Gorman was in reduced and read: Resulved: That the city attracy b and is hereby instructed to prepare ap ordinance for cement sidewalk on Washington avenue, east slile, be tween Nineteenth and Twentieth streets. On motion of Alderman Nel lis the resolution was adopted.

Alderman Nellis offered the follow ing resolution and moved it be adopt-

Resolved: That the figuree com mittee be and is hereby instructed to make suitable arrangements with the present special attorneys for the coming year's work, and report back at next regular or special meeting.

The motion was adopted. Ablerman Burke offered the following resolution and moved it be adopt

structed to have Rich Construction Stevenson. Co. to gravel interesecting streets at once where sewer is completed on Commercial avenue. The resolution was adopted. Alderman Nellis offered the follow

and he is hereby instructed to publish gerated - Louisville Courier-Journal. a notice in the official newspaper of the city that all licenses are due and must be puld by the first day of Janpary, 1909, and that no application Alderman Ferguson introduced the accompanied by each or check for the boy. full amount of the fee for license ap-

Alderman Nellis moved the adottion of the resolution. The motion in this country with the facilities for was adopted.

The following resolution signed by Aldermen Greaney and Magner was "to submitted and rend;

Local Improvements be instructed to only confessing ignorance. The very until the crossing and sldewalks be replaced in order on Sycamore street, Poplar street and Commercial

Alderman Greaney moved the adop ion of the resolution. The motion was

dopted Miscellaneous Business. Alderman Meehan introduced an or fluance concerning, peddlers, huck sters and hawkers, fixing the license for such, which ordinance was read

Alderman Greancy requested that the board of health meet in the goes back to when she was ave council chamber immediately after

Alderman Magner moved to ad ourn. The motion was adopted.

The council then adjourned. ROBT. A. HATCHER, City Clerk.

Making Shoes. Picture a herd of 8,300 kids and The Sudra may not hope for advance goats, 407 horses and colts, 700 calves ment or reward. The Brahmin and and 488 steers. Then think that the skins and bides of all these animals supply one shoe factory in America both classes, each forbidden to assist with enough leather for only a single the other, there is a desire for gain

The Need of the World. The world must return some day to the word duty, and be done with the gifts in connection with the harvest. word reward. There are no rewards (thanksgiving at Pickmere (England) and itenty of duties. And the sooner Wesleyan chapel. The animal was I a man sees that and acts upon it like not present along with the other a gentleman or a fine old barbarian, products of nature, but some one had

Greatly Exaggerated. Although the correspondent who with fruit, flowers and vegetables.

says sine coffins have become remarkably popular in Vienna bas an established reputation for veracity, it is im-Resolved: That the city clerk be prestile not to feel that he has exage in New York recently had the follow-

Can't Understand It. Many a wife is seriously wondering why her mother-in-law ever thought for license will be considered unless no woman was good enough for her

> Seven Have a Monopoly. There are only seven establishments

casting bronze statuary. Be Ready. The man who is prepared trobles ois talents.

When you talk of chance, you are withhold all moneys due the Rich spin of the coin is governed by the Construction Co, and Roy L. Williams nerve, muscle (or manipulation) of the thumb and brain that spin it. The only chance about it is your ignorance of the forces that lift, twist and catch the coin. If you could calculate the physical and mental forces between the half-penny's leap and return you might buy the world. But you can't. And it's just that bit of blindness that we have to call chance.

First Thing You Remember. What is the earliest thing that you remember? This would be a nice question for an after-dinner discusston. Miss Maud Allan, the dancer, in her small autobiographical essay. tells us twice over that her memory months old-five months! She was then given her first doll. She had been told of Santa Claus, and on Christmas eve had "sped down the

broad staircase."

Progress Retarded by Caste. Upon India, at once the wealthiest and poorest of nations, hangs the millstone of caste, a damper to all ambition, a dead weight to all progress. the warrior and the prince remain superior by birth and law. But with and the hoarding of gain.

Calf as Thanksgiving Offering. A calf was found to be one of the Resolved: That the engineer be in the better for himself.-Robert Louis painted it on a card, and underneath the picture was written, "Calf to be sold, presented by Mr. A. Platt, Wincham." The calf was given along

> Why She Was Absent. A teacher in one of the girls' schools ing excuse for absence handed her by one of her pupils: "Dear Miss: gives me much pleasure to write to you, because I have a worryment, and you should please excuse my Angia, who does not come by you because she has to go to the hospital with her sixter's sore eyes."

Spendthrift's Purchases. A spendthrift-in one sense he has his money's worth by the purchase of large lots of repentance and other dolorous commodities. - Nathania Hawthorne.